

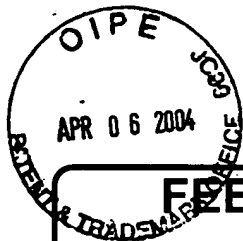


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1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
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1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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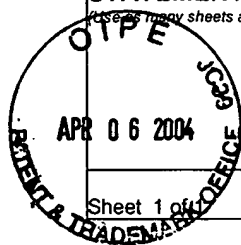
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